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To: Microsoft ATR

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Subject: Microsoft Settlement

Dear Sir:

Please do not impose any more harm upon Microsoft than was placed upon its customers. That is to say, if you can quantify how much less the consumers should have paid for their Windows software, that should be the damages.

I, for one, would gladly pay again for the use of this software. As the browser was free, as are many updates from Msft, there would be no harm there. I have both Netscape and IE on my computer and I never use Netscape unless I have to.

Microsoft's rivals should not control our courts in their deliberations or punishments meted out. The proposed settlement is fair to all sides, and the States should follow the lead of the Federal Government.

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